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PATENT APPLICATION  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

APPLICATION OF ) GROUP: 1713  
RAINER GRAEFE ET AL )  
SERIAL NO.: 10/006,497 ) EXAMINER: M. L. REDDICK  
FILED: DECEMBER 3, 2001 )  
TITLE: METHOD OF PRODUCING MIXTURES )  
OF POLYVINYL CHLORIDE AND )  
POLYMERS BASED ON CONJUGAT- )  
ED DIENES AND ACRYLONITRILE )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Commissioner of Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Notice of Appeal filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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Name of applicant, assignee or Registered Representative

Signature

January 22, 2004

Date

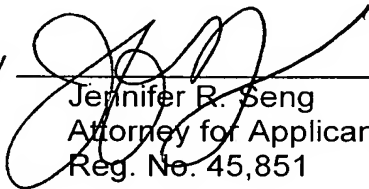
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Respectfully submitted,

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